

ABSTRACT

An oral formulation containing an active pharmaceutical ingredient, for instance a peptide pharmaceutical, such as insulin, coated onto a suitable particulate substrate, such as dibasic calcium phosphate. The oral formulation may be a modified release formulation, for instance a controlled release formulation or a sustained release formulation, or may be an immediate release formulation. Also, the formulation may be encapsulated in gelatin capsules or may be compressed into tablets.